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2011 Quarter 2 & 3 Reports



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IMAM HAMED
SISTER DAAIYAH

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SISTER SAFIYYAH
BROTHER YUSUF

NWI REPORT 10 MINS

SISTER AZIZAH

COMMUNITY 30 MINS

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“Muhammed (saw) the Model for the Child, the Youthful, and the Adult: Great Communities Don't Just Happen”



**Quarterly Letter
 Imam Sabree**

With Allah’s name, the praise and the thanks is for G'd, we thank Him for the gift and blessing of the model human person Muhammed (pbuh), the honorable and noble servant and Messenger of G'd and what follows of that salute to the last Prophet (pbuh), the seal of the Prophets mentioned in the Bible as it is given in the Qur’an.

Dear brothers and sisters in Islam,

Thank you for your exemplary support over the past few months. Our dedication to Faith in G'd , hard labor, simple living and high thinking ;.....is what will continue to get us to our destiny. We are devoted as a community exemplifying the human model of excellence by Mohammed the prophet (pbuh), to build the model community life. Over the past few months we have focused our efforts in two main categories of action “bonding” and “building bridges”. In this Quarter’s “Community Life Report” you will find a summary of successful community progress forged by outstanding members of our community . Our successes are seen through efforts in Dawah, Education, Charity, Interfaith dialogue and good old fashion fun. Join us this Sunday October 9th at 2pm to discuss our progress and

challenges as we forge ahead into the last quarter of 2011.

We ask Allah, O Allah, give a complete and lasting reward to the supporters of Atlanta Masjid of Al-Islam. Forgive our living and our dead, those present and those absent, our young and our old, our males and our females. O Allah, whom amongst us You keep alive, then let such a life be upon Al-Islam, and whom amongst us You take unto Yourself, then let such a death be upon faith. Prayers, Peace and blessings be upon G'd’s Messenger Muhammed (pbuh), Ameen.

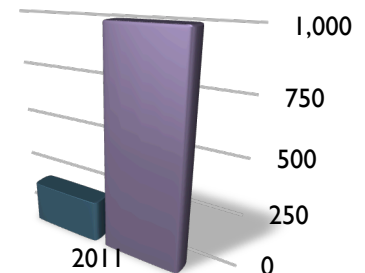
Wa Salaamu-alaikum !

Sincerely,

Imam Mansoor Sabree

**Special Thank You
 1000 Muslim**

- 1000 Muslims (200 supporters)
- 1000 Muslims Goal (1000)



Majlis Update

The Majlis Ash-Shura is responsible for actions and decisions that will not only maintain the Atlanta Masjid as a healthy and vibrant community, but to also realize the mission of the Atlanta Masjid, “promoting excellence in community life and human dignity throughout our neighborhoods, city, country, and global community.” The Majlis is making great strides at being more pro-active and strategic focusing on the three components of the Atlanta Masjid: the Masjid, the Mohammed Schools, and Masjid properties.

Highlighted Decisions and Actions

We reviewed and examined our organizational structures. We consequently, revised the administrative structure of the Mohammed Schools, creating the position of Principal and re-define the position of School Director.

Participated in the Consultative Board’s process of screening, interviewing, and selecting a principal for the Mohammed Schools.

We appointed three new members to the Mohammed Schools Consultative Board for a two year term and selected a chair for the 2011-2012 school year.

We revised and clarified some of the policies and procedures of the Consultative Board and developed and delivered a comprehensive orientation.

We clarified the responsibilities of the Majlis Ash-Shura, Consultative Board, Director, Principal, and Director of Islamic Affairs regarding the operations of Mohammed Schools.

The business development workgroup began working on a business plan for Masjid properties, including management structure. The workgroup is currently reviewing business models and collecting data to generate a budget.

We reviewed a report and recommendations from the retirement workgroup regarding a retirement plan for Masjid and school employees. We are exploring ways to generate capital to start the proposed fund.

Strategic Plan Implementation

We formed teams that will assume responsibility for implementation of the strategic plan. Each team meets and works independently, reporting by to the Majlis through the assigned liaison:

Finance:	Yahya Muhammed
Mohammed Schools:	Saudia Muwwakkil and Taqiyuddin Saleem
Facilities:	Imam Plemon El-Amin
Technology:	Qur’an Shakir
Organizational:	Jeanette Nu’Man

Upcoming Activities

- Continue examination of operating systems to determine ways to improve efficiency and effectiveness.
- Review recommendations of the business development workgroup to determine structural and operational changes needed to property management.
- Identify training opportunities for Majlis and Consultative Board members to enhances effectiveness.
- Evaluate non-profit status and liability to determine needs.

Facts

Dawah /Service

450 visitors have come to learn about Al-Islam
 600+ Qur'ans have been given to neighbors, friends and family.
 300 homeless plates prepared during Ramadan
 3000 plates prepared during Ramadan for Muslim Families.
 Community Observance of Night of Power: 800-1000 Muslims attended
 Marriage initiative: a call for Marriage (35 single brother sign up and 50 single sisters)

Social Events

Eid Concert 3000 people of all ages enjoyed a powerful night of culture and fun.
 Jazz Under the Stars: Celebrating our community talents
 Children's Ramadan Sessions
 Sponsored Atlanta Imams Iftar (7 masjid represented)
 Fathers and Sons Meeting/Iftar (Atlanta Society of Muslim Men)
 Bus Trip to Mosque Cares Convention
 Father's Day Luncheon

Education

Faith Institute : 100 students enrolled
 Special Lecture and Tea - Ustadh Abdullah Ali (June)
 Health Committee Lectures, Screenings and Taleems

In-Kind / Volunteers

We Received over \$20,000 worth of in-kind products and services, over 200 volunteers helped with Eid Al-fitr, I LOVE MY FAMILY DAY, and Community Life Forward Conference.
 15 brother volunteered their skills and labor to renovate the bathroom.

Deaths

Maryam Shakir and Freddie Beyah

New Shahadahs

Clarence Ford - James Perry - LaKisha Arnold
 Nadeen Sahreef-Roach - Kenja Taylor
 Suhailah Newton - Markus Cobb - Mia Brown

Community Life Activity (May-Sept)

Dawah /Service

United Eid Al-Fitr : Masjid Taqwa, Masjid Al-Muminun, Atlanta Masjid
 Relaunch/ redesign www.atlantamasjid.com

Special Guests

Ustadh Abdullah Ali , Dr Salah Faldon, Dr Jamillah Karim, Imam Saafir Raab, Film Maker - Qasim Bashir, Dr Ahmed from Ihsan Foundation

Conferences/ Outreach

The Academic Conference on Islam in America
 Community Life Forward Conference. (Atlanta Georgia)
 I LOVE MY FAMILY DAY, (Atlanta Georgia)
 United First Sunday, (Atlanta Georgia)
 Speaker @ Grand Opening of Ar-Rahamn Islamic Center
 Delivered Jumuah Kutbah: Masjid Muminoon, Ar-Rahman Islamic Center (Cascade) Masjid Mumineen (Clarkston)
 The Mosque Cares Convention (keynote: Shiekh Pasha)

Fundraisers

Year to Date we raised \$50,000 through various events and programs
 Co-sponsored Fundraiser for Congressman Keith Elision (raised \$10,000)
 1000 Muslims Campaign has 200 supporters

Marriages

Richard Nashid and Bayyinah Bahar
 Muneer Sudan and Charcelle Ware
 Hajj Basim and Baiyina Jihad
 Kendrick Mallard and Aaliyah Khatib

Births

Hafiz Hamza and Sister Mayrum (Baby Girl)

Facts

Community Life Activity (May-Sept)

What's New

Quran Daily (Read the entire Quran from Ramadan to Ramadan) see office for more details.

The Marriage List (Men and women who expressed interest in getting married)

Mohammed Schools Hafiz Program (open to student age 5 and up classes start Monday 10-10-11 @ 7am see Mohammed Schools for more details.

• What's Next for October - January

Hajj : expected to fall between November 4-9, 2011

Eid Al-Adha: is the Greater Eid holiday it comes at the end of the Hajj, Eid Al-Adha will fall on or around November 6, 2011.

Faith Institute Classes : Last Quarter starts soon Sign up online or in the main office.

Masjid Renovation Projects :

Construction of Brick Path November

Renovation/ expansion of Dinning Hall December

New Years Community Fundraiser : January 1st 2012

Special Thanks to our Community Partners:

Neighborhood Works Inc.

Interfaith Children's Movement

Atlanta Society of Muslim Men

Atlanta Faith Alliance

AIB Broadcasting

S.W.A.M Martial Science Academy.

Sisters United To Human Service

International League of Muslim Women

New African Young Marriage Alliance -N.A.Y.M.A

Islamic Business Association of Atlanta - I.B.A.A.

Our Mission

The Atlanta Masjid of Al-Islam is committed to the Islamic way of life based on the Qur'an and life example of Prophet Muhammad. We serve as a center for religious development, social, educational, economic, and cultural enrichment. We believe in the Oneness of G'd and the oneness of humanity. We are committed to promoting excellence in community life and human dignity throughout our neighborhoods, city, country, and global community.



Help Build Community Life

Join The Ansari Committee

- We invite you to join us in supporting and building Community Life; share your skills, expertise, ideas and community spirit with our teams. Leave your name, email address and telephone number with the masjid secretary or send an email to ansarichair@atlantamasjid.com.
Ansari Chair: Sabreen Mateen

Health Education Team

- Goal: Promote preventive health practices. Keep the community informed through health seminars, workshops and written materials; visiting our hospitalized and home bound community workers; keep track of new health trends. Sponsor the "Adopt a Senior Program".

Janazah Team

- Goal: Assist with the coordination of janazah services. Sponsor workshops on pre- and post-janazah planning. Prepare and maintain shrouding packets at the masjid and sponsor shrouding classes.

Muslim Holiday Team

- Goal: Host purposeful, inspirational, family oriented and well executed events. Promote the Vision of "Family Life and Qur'an." This team will develop the program/event goals and objectives for Ramadan and Eid Season on behalf of the Atlanta Masjid; partnering with the Mohammed Schools to host the 2011 Community Choice Awards.

Property Team (Renovations & Beautification)

- Goal: Create a space that is family oriented, clean and pleasing.

Youth Development & Outreach Services

- Goal: Serve as a vehicle wherein the leaders of youth organizations affiliated with the Atlanta Masjid of Al-Islam collaborate to provide programming and activities that enhance the social, emotional, and spiritual well-being of the Muslim youth within the community.

Pioneers

- Goal: Help meet the needs of our Pioneer Members ages 60 and older.

Public Relations

- Goal: Maintain an open relationship with our Neighbors; attend neighborhood community meetings; attend events on behalf of the Atlanta Masjid

Hospitality

- Goal: Make every new member of the community feel welcome and to assist them in navigating their way into the community; coordinate with the masjid security team, and sponsor the New and Relocated Muslim Brunch.

Birth Month Community Life Team

- Goal: Sponsor social activities that also generate income for the masjid community.

Faith Institute

- Goal: Cultivate healthy Islamic community life by providing educational programs for the entire family,

Family Counseling & Education Center

- Goal: Organized for the purpose of offering faith-based counseling, family therapy, life skills and psycho-social services to individuals, couples, families and groups.

Grants Initiative Team

- Goal: Support the development, implementation, management and oversight of all sponsored grant programs of the Atlanta Masjid to ensure the religious, educational, socioeconomic growth of the Masjid and Masjid Community.

Communication and Outreach Team

- Goal: This team works directly with the Imam's office and the Masjid Media Director to support the Information and Data Management System of the Atlanta Masjid of Al-Islam through the Personal Contact Campaign and data entry.

“Cultivating Community Life through the Power of Knowledge”

The **vision** of the Faith Institute is to cultivate healthy Islamic community life by providing educational programs for the entire family—“from the cradle to the grave.”

The **mission** of the Faith Institute is to make the Atlanta Masjid a center for community learning by providing programs that offer high quality Islamic education that is based upon our Islamic heritage and legacy,

The **curriculum** of the Faith Institute represents a variety of important subjects to enlighten community members with well-rounded Islamic knowledge. It has the ability to take students with limited or advanced previous knowledge of the religious sciences or Arabic and prepare them to

Quarterly Report (July-September 2011)

With a host of guest teachers, this year the Faith Institute held classes almost every evening in Ramadan focusing on the subjects of : Qur’an memorization, Tafsir of the Qur’an, Seerah, Islamic Jurisprudence, Purification of the soul (Tazkiyyah), and Principles from the life of the Prophet and his sahabahs with a focus on worship, seeking beneficial knowledge, and family life. We also had Hafiz Hamza Abdul Malik leading the tarawih prayers. In conjunction with UmiBaby (www.umibabyonline.com), the Faith Institute hosted two Friday evenings for a Ramadan Children’s program.

Our summer session Sunday and Wednesday evening courses ended July 31. The fall courses resumed September 11 and will continue for its 8 week session.

Director : Imam Sulaimaan Hamed

function conscientiously in their daily Islamic life. The curriculum will focus on 6 primary subjects:

Departments

1. Quran
2. Arabic
3. Islamic Jurisprudence
4. Lives of Major Prophets (saw)
5. Foremost concepts/language from Imam W.D Muhammad.
6. Interfaith/Comparative Scriptures.



Foundations of Belief (Aqeedah)
9:00 AM 10:00 AM Imam Sulaimaan Hamed
Text: The Creed of At-Tahawiyy

Arabic 01 Beginners
12:00 PM 1:30 PM Sis. Janah Al Wakeel
Text: Arabic for English Speaking

Arabic and Quran for Children
ages 5-10 12:00 PM 1:00 PM Sis. Zaheerah Aleem

Intermediate Arabic
1:00 PM 2:00 PM Ustath Muhammad Mendes
Text: University of Medinah Books

Wednesday

Perfecting Worship(Fiqh al-Ibadah)
5:00 PM 5:30 PM
Imam Sulaimaan Hamed
Text: Prayer in Al-Islam/Fiqh As Sunnah

Explanations of Scripture(Tafseer)
6:00 PM 6:45 PM
Imam Khalil Abdullah

Seerah (Life history of Prophet Muhammed)
6:45 PM 7:30 PM
Ustath Jamal Hysaw

*All Classes will be conducted on 8 week schedule



MISSION

The mission of Mohammed Schools is to provide an education based on Qur'anic principles and their universal application. Our goal is to teach all students to accept their G'd given responsibilities and full potential, as we provide a nurturing environment that engages students in discovery and critical thinking. We strive to develop a cooperative partnership among students, family and community in creating a dynamic, prosperous, G'd conscious community of enlightened leaders and effective global citizens.

Mohammed Schools Update 2011- 2012 highlights

As-Salaam Alaikum,
Dear Community:

The 2011-2012 school year is ripe with promises of revitalizing and redirecting our efforts to the ideals of Islamic education at its best! To start us out on the right foot we opened our year with a new administrative structure that includes Principal Qur'an Shakir-Abdul Khaliq who serves both schools and Lead Teacher Hajja Rahseedah Shamsid-din who serves elementary and middle school. This new structure has blessed us to advance our educational goals and our reach into the broader community.

As the director's role will focus more on administrative, fiscal, marketing, and planning functions, the principal will assume greater responsibility for day-to-day operations. Supporting this framework is the instructional lead teacher who directly addresses and supports the needs of students, and the administrative staff that supports them all.

The initiative of the Majlis Ashura and the Consultative Board in restructuring administrative leadership and responsibilities was planned to accomplish the goal of organizational objectives, clarifying who is responsible for what, and holding those responsible accountable. Those objectives also include improving the quality of decision-making

and a greater sense of ownership of the school by its stakeholders.

With this structure in place we can assure that students are being engaged and that the curriculum is balanced to include technology, the arts, and rich media experiences. Assessment practices will be research-based, and each student will move forward after achieving mastery. Insha-Allah, this will provide us with the capacity to maintain a constant direction towards academic excellence, sound practices and procedures, Islamic values and commitments, and the capacity to act strategically. In order to sustain this momentum we will need the full support of every stakeholder as we work to attain the future we have envisioned.

As we worked through last year's concerns we came to a shared understanding of the changes needed to ensure an even greater future for our school and school community. We understand that we must focus on transparency and educating our parents and community about the need for reform and doing this on a regular basis by utilizing multiple media and approaches to accomplish this goal. Striving towards the "cooperative partnership" referenced in our Mission Statement, Mohammed Schools is collaborating with the IPTSCA, the town hall initiatives, the Faith Institute, and the community in general to formulate a vision of how our school should operate and identify the practices of teachers, administrators, parents, students, and

community that are consistent with the vision.

The curriculum has been enhanced this year with the addition of a Hafiz program, an additional foreign language, more male teacher leaders in the middle school, and three dynamic teacher teams at each level. The quality of work of students and Islamic Adab will be the central concern at each level.

Throughout the year we will be implementing higher standards of excellence by Integrating Islamic Adab with the skills required for the 21st century such as creative thinking, collaboration and teamwork, interpersonal skills, goal setting and problem solving to expand what is taught in each core subject and re-establish our students at the forefront of excellence in character, behavior, and reputation! Underpinning our curriculum is an even stronger focus on personal discipline, morality, cleanliness, integrity, and development of the "self", and each month, some aspect of Self-Development will be the central theme of character building.

The entire community will be involved in helping to set and attain high standards for our school. This is just the beginning of creating our children's and our own future.

Sincerely,

Safiyah Shahid
Director of Mohammed Schools of
Atlanta

Neighborhood Works, Inc.

NWI



CALENDAR:

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES:

- Homebuyer workshop sponsored by Neighborhood Works
- Campaign to sign qualified homebuyers
- Volunteer orientation for our first community build
- Seeking more grants and funding for our organization
- Establish a board membership drive

Quarter Report

Home Buyer Education and Counseling

- Homebuyer Education Workshops
 - One-on-One intake and Assessment
 - Pre-Purchase Counseling
 - Financial Literacy
 - Loss mitigation/Foreclosure Prevention
 - Alternate Funding options
- Single Family Development*

Community Empowerment Conference

A movement established as a facilitator for progress and empowerment throughout our community. The philosophy of addressing issues in our community by working for excellence only, aid in the establishment and support of necessary institutions and

implementation of the Qadr (power) principle.

Qadr Principle of 10-10-10 where each individual member supports community empowerment by:

- \$10/minimum monthly support
- 10 hours minimum monthly community service
- 10 persons invited annually to visit, learn about or join our community efforts

Youth Development

Programs for young people ages 16-24 serving the community by building affordable housing through mentorship while learning on-the-job training.

Neighborhood Works, Inc (NWI) has steadily increased its visibility in various community events and continues to make great strides in the area of organizational development and sustainability. Our board and staff have increased their participation and is seeking to increase its understanding of the function and purpose of a Community Housing Development organization (CHDO) and their role in this organizations, while seeking new members and staff to further its mission.

Presently NWI has acquired two properties in the CNHI targeted neighborhoods, and seeking one property in the NWI/Masjid target area. The marketing of these properties began after we closed and has been made available to the community. We will continue to keep the community involved while we campaign to solicit qualified homebuyers and interested homeowners who have vested interested in improving these target neighborhoods.

To facilitate this mission, NWI is building up its volunteer base, we currently have over 200 volunteer applications on file and we constantly seeking exceptional and highly qualified core of volunteers to

assist in the property development process. NWI hosted an orientation on September 18, 2011 for volunteers. This event allowed volunteers the opportunity to find out more information out NWI and share with us their thoughts and suggestion on how they can support our initiatives. NWI also created the Community Empowerment Volunteer LLC (CEV-LLC), as a means to establish a separate entity that focus solely on volunteerism and community activism.

NWI staff and its board have fully utilized its membership at the Georgia Center for Non Profits and have participated in several training including the Foundation Fundraising and a member only meet and greet. The NWI staff and board have actively participated in several other HUD sponsored training courses focusing on staff and board development and community outreach.

We thank all of you who have been supporters and helpers, our Board, the Masjid, our Staff and those volunteers.



Special Thanks

Ansari Committee

Sabreen Z. Mateen, Chair
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 Aisha Squire, Team Leader
 Aleathia Muhammad, Team Leader
 Althelia Nuriddin, Team Leader
 Ameenah Rasheed, Team Leader
 Ameenah Sabree-Saleem, Team Leader
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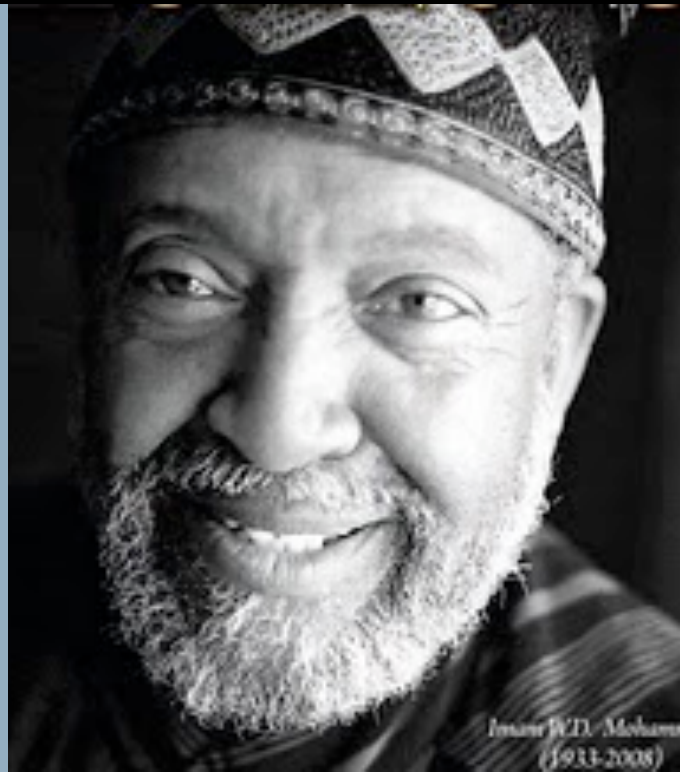
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 Ameenah Shabazz
 Amidah Rashad
 Amin Aleem
 Amir Zaid
 Amira Wazeer
 Amirah F. Muhammad
 Anthony(Wali) Archer
 Arif Fahim
 Azim Williams
 Aziz & Thelma Khatib
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 Benny Cummings
 Bertram Brooks
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 Brenda Sudan
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 Calvin Abdul-Aziz
 Carolyn Shakoor
 Cassandra El-Amin
 Chaplain Sabree

Charles Freeman
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 Davis Woolworth
 Dawud Hassan
 Deanne Gourdin
 Deborah Abdul-Raheem
 Decatur's Finest Clothing Store
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 Nazeeh Rasheed
 Necole Wilson
 Nicar Sawyer
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 Niles Akbar
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 Suleiman Wazeerud-Din
 Surayyah Fareed
 Tahira Abdul-Malik
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 Tamir Hassan
 Taryn Siddiq
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 Waleed Shamsid-deen
 Wali & Marsha El-Amin
 Yahaya Bello
 Yahya Muhammad
 Yasmeen Qadimasil
 Yushau Sodiq
 Zaheerah Aleem & Hammad Karim
 Zahporrah Shamsid-Deen
 Zainab Love
 Zakiyyah Hassan
 Zakiyyah Nu'man
 Zakiyyah Waheed
 Zenobia Day

In Loving Memory of
Imam Warith Deen Mohammed

October 30, 1933 - September 9th 2008



We Salute You Imam!

In Loving Memory of Imam Warith
Deen Mohammed

October 30, 1933 - September 9th 2008

Imam Warith Deen Mohammed, founder of the movement that shaped 3 generations of American Muslims, departed from this world 3 years ago on September 9, 2008 during the blessed month of Ramadan. Through him we learned much about integrity, love, compassion, mercy, faith and community. We love Imam Mohammed for his character, his intelligence and his unyielding love for humanity. Imam Mohammed gave us all a "Worldwide Vision" for Al-Islam. He is recognized all over the world because of his heart for freedom, justice and equality "Al-Islam". He aimed to be a model Muslim and to build a model Muslim community and we salute him by following his footsteps.

He will be remembered as an extraordinary teacher of religion - teaching the way of the prophets, love of Scripture and human

excellence. His teachings can never be referred to in the past tense because he planted his work for the world's future benefit. We owe him a debt that we cannot ever repay, we can only work daily to honor his mission. The Atlanta Masjid family, interfaith friends, and people all over the world salute a great man. Allah says to the righteous soul *"O (thou) soul, in (complete) rest and satisfaction! Enter thou, then among my Devotees, enter into my paradise."* (89:27-30)

It is with firm trust and hope in All-Mighty G_d Allah, that Imam Mohammed returned to his Lord pleased and well pleasing. May Allah Forgive him, pardon him and grant him the Paradise. Ameen.

In Loving Memory of Imam Warith Deen Mohammed, We stand in humility and awe of a great Man of God. We salute you brother Imam!

Sincerely,

Imam Mansoor Sabree